

PTA

The Torrance Council Way

Mrs. Ralph Gring

CRENSHAW
Mrs. Richard Gillham, ways and means chairman of the Crenshaw PTA, has announced that the fall carnival was a tremendous success. A portion of the proceeds will be used to complete vests for the Crenshaw choir for their guest appearance at the Christmas luncheon of the Torrance Council, to be held Dec. 7, at the Plush Horse. The choir will present a program of Christmas music under the direction of Mrs. Meredith Anderson, music instructor.

Eighteen classrooms which attained 100 per cent membership in the recent membership drive were guests of the PTA at a free showing of the movie "Pollyanna," on Nov. 18.

JEFFERSON
Jefferson PTA meeting was held on Nov. 19, in the school cafeteria. The meeting was conducted by Mrs. Charles O'Hara. The flag ceremony was given by Girl Scout Troop 2236 under the leadership of Gmes. Ronald Radcliffe and George Wright.

The program for the evening was titled, "Rockets Glare." It consisted of a movie and talk given by a member of the Pacific Telephone Company. The highlight of the program was a telephone call to Nebraska, to find out plans now in action of the Air Defense of the United States.

New standing rules were read and approved by the association.

The executive board of Jefferson PTA is sponsoring two classes of the Headstart program in the Harbor City Area. They will provide clothing, shoes, craft supplies and many other things needed for the classes.

The monthly board meeting of Jefferson PTA will be followed by a Christmas social for the board. The hostess will be Mrs. Charles O'Hara, president. The meeting will be held at her home on Dec. 1.

MADISON
The Madison PTA held its board meeting in the school cafeteria Thursday morning, Nov. 10. There were 20 board members in attendance. The flag ceremony was led by Ways and Means chairman, Mrs. Charles Mathews. The principal, Mr. Strom, gave a short talk thanking everyone that helped work on the school bond issue. Due to the passing of the bond, the children will not be put on double sessions and they will have more classrooms built in the Torrance School District.

The projects for the Christmas workshop were displayed and volunteer workers for the day obtained. The committee was selected to make plans for the Christmas party and a vote taken to have the party catered. In attendance will be board members and their husbands.

Guest speaker at the November association meeting of Madison PTA will be Mrs. Mary Long, Educational Consultant. Mrs. Henry Watkins will give the inspirational and Mrs. Gaedke's second grade class will present a patriotic program.

PHILIP MAGRUDER
"We Stem Out to Give Thanks" was the October meeting theme of the Philip Magruder PTA, with a "Holiday Safety" panel discussion. Mr. P. Barretta, teacher at Magruder, was the panel moderator and panel members were Officer Woodley of the Torrance Police Department; Rev. Frank Cartwright of St. Paul's Methodist Church; Mrs. Jimmie Cotten, a Magruder parent; Miss Terri Hendry and Mr. Matt McMann, eighth grade students. A booklet "Laws for Parents and Youth," and a leaflet entitled, "Safety is a Virtue," were distributed to the assembly.

Announcement was made that a movie would be held at the school on Nov. 19, at 10 a.m. and would be either Jubo or New Adventures of Flipper. A canned food

drive was conducted Nov. 18, 21 and 22nd to help fill Thanksgiving baskets. Everyone was invited by Mrs. Fulton, president, to attend the Torrance Council of PTA Holiday Workshop, and she stressed that this workshop is geared to get ideas on Christmas gifts and decorations which can be made at home by youth or adults.

EDISON
Edison PTA executive board met in the school on Friday, Nov. 4. Mrs. Shattuck Jones announced the deadline for the annual paper drive will be Dec. 7. Mrs. David Marsh, magazine chairman, received the Blue Seal Award for having all the magazine subscriptions in by the deadline. Plans were made for the Edison PTA executive board Christmas luncheon to be held on Dec. 9. Refreshments were served by Mrs. David Koch, hospitality chairman.

CALLE MAYOR
"Child Behavior and Development," was the program theme for the Nov. 15 PTA meeting of Calle Mayor. Questions were answered by this panel of guests: Mr. Charles Mahon, psychologist for the Torrance Unified School District; Dr. John Heglin, physician; Mr. George Chalkson, principal, Calle Mayor; and Mrs. Jeanette Muth, teacher, Calle Mayor. The flag ceremony was presented by the Indian Maidens of Torrance YMCA.

NEWTON
"Understanding Sex Education in the Family" was discussed along with the showing of films on the subject, when Newton PTA held their association meeting Nov. 17 in the school cafeteria. Mrs. John Heglin, parent education chairman, and Mrs. Thomas Bishop, hospitality chairman, were featured at this meeting.

WALTERIA
Mrs. William Leetz, president, held the first morning meeting at Walteria PTA. She had in a number of years. Those members attending enjoyed the program, "See How Reading is Taught."

Mrs. Shirley Cullum, first grade teacher, and five students Susan Johnson, David Crouch, Janan Nelson, Beth Holland, and Kelli Wade, gave a delightful glimpse of how first grade children are introduced to the wonderful world of words.

Mrs. Dorothea Hodgkinson explained the purposes of the Remedial Reading Center. She spoke on the techniques used to discover the reasons why a student has fallen behind in his reading and techniques used to assist the student back on the right track. The Reading Center at Walteria school serves Walteria, Newton, Hillside, and Riviera schools. Mrs. Hodgkinson and students demonstrated the use of the SRA Reading Kit, record player, tape recorder, Tachistoscope, and a Controlled Reader. Students participating were Deborah Dean and Richard Leetz from Walteria, Steve Sampson from Riviera, David Brown from Newton, and Kay Roberts, Deborah Cramer, James Hall from Hillside. Mrs. Larry Miller, principal of Walteria school, coordinated the program.

Club Hostess
A Thanksgiving motif was used by Mrs. Don Wolf last Monday afternoon when she entertained her club at a bridge-luncheon at her Hillside Avenue home. Following the luncheon, an afternoon of bridge was enjoyed. High score was held by Mrs. Fred Harnish and second by Mrs. Wayne Norman.

Mrs. Wolf's guests were Mmes. Alan Moore, Wayne Norman, Wade Johnson, Fred Harnish, Carroll Albright, James Harmon, and Mrs. L. C. Myers of South Shores.

Mrs. Harmon will entertain the club on Dec. 5.



GIFTS OF APPRECIATION
Christmas wreaths, to be presented to the working staff members of the Victor elementary school in appreciation for their cooperation in helping make PTA-sponsored events so successful, are being made by PTA members. During a school assembly in early December the wreaths will be presented. Making wreaths from IBM cards are, from left, Mmes. Virgil Gaul, treasurer; Robert Harvey, pre-school chairman; Harold Stout, recording secretary; Cris Eliopoulos, president, and George Sidio, recreation chairman. (Press-Herald Photo)

Marina District Fall Renaissance Council Set Nov. 30 Ball Benefit Set Dec. 28

Marina District 18, California Federation of Women's Clubs will hold their Fall Council meeting on Wednesday, Nov. 30, at the El Segundo Woman's Club, 541 Standard St., El Segundo.

Mrs. A. E. Glad, president, will preside at the business meeting starting at 9:45 a.m. Mrs. Joe E. Barnes, registrar, assisted by Mmes. Robert Harper, S. J. Little, Charles E. Weddle and William R. Chapman, will be in charge of registration starting at 9:45 a.m.

Greetings will be extended by Mrs. Leonard Hummel, hostess club president and Mrs. Robert Gardiner, the Marina District 18 Junior Club president.

State officers and chairmen of the California Federation of Women's Clubs participating in the meeting

will be Mmes. Paul E. Schaupp, financial secretary; Lloyd R. Rhein, Epsilon Sigma Omicron and library services chairman; Evelyn Paddock Smith, music chairman; Joseph L. Morgan, resolutions committee member; G. Ray Sherwood, religion chairman, and Kenneth Newton, Junior co-ordinator.

Mrs. H. E. Moulthrop, first vice president, will present the guest speaker of the morning, Miss Bonnie Bradbeer, research director of the Free Enterprise Department of Coast Federal Savings.

Mrs. Eugene Hatfield, district music chairman, will present Jerry Schwartz, district music scholarship winner, in a trumpet solo. Following the luncheon, workshops will be held.

Elaborate plans for the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation's second annual Renaissance Ball, launched successfully last October, are being formulated by a committee of prominent Los Angeles women. The Ball will be held in the International Ball of the Beverly Hilton Hotel on Wednesday, Dec. 28. It will be preceded by the west coast premiere of a new Twentieth Century-Fox film, "The Sand Pebbles," produced and directed by Academy award-winner Robert Wise.

Mrs. Donald Witherbee will again serve as Premiere and Ball Chairman for the \$100 a ticket, black tie, gala. She will be assisted by Mrs. Robert Wise and Mrs. Wells Rort, as co-chairmen of the Reservations Committee. Richard D. Zanuck and Pierre Salinger are, respectively, National Campaign Chairman and General Chairman for the National Cystic Fibrosis Research Foundation. Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson serves as National Honorary Chairman.

An early 7:30 p.m. curtain at the Fox Wilshire Theatre, will enable guests attending the supper-dance to enjoy an evening of dancing and entertainment. An unusual decorative design for the ballroom will be conceived by the committee, with the help of Twentieth Century-Fox's creative departments.

Dec. 1 Deadline Nears For Secretaries Exam

Dec. 1, 1966 is the deadline for filing applications to sit for the Certified Professional Secretaries Examination to be administered by the Institute for Certifying Secretaries, a department of the National Secretaries Association (International), in May 1967. This is a two day examination consisting of six sections—Personal Adjustment and Human Relations, Business Administration, Business Law, Secretarial Accounting, Secretarial Procedures and Secretarial Skills.

The examination is designed for qualified secretaries, whether or not they are members of NSA, and is administered by experienced educators. It is a true measurement of professional knowledge for any secretary who passes it.

Secretaries who wish further information concerning qualifications or who are in need of applications may call either Mrs. Edward Bust, CPS, or Mrs. George Lippy, members of Queen Beach Chapter, NSA.

Secretaries Plan Holiday Cocktail Party

An invitation to a Holiday Cocktail Party, as a beginning of the holiday season, is extended by members of Queen Beach Chapter, National Secretaries Association (International). The gala affair will be held at the Pacific Coast Club, 850 E. Ocean Ave., Long Beach, on Thursday, Dec. 1, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

To obtain tickets and further information about this social event, Mrs. Vaughn Chaney may be called. The public is invited.

Queen Beach members award scholarships each year to outstanding senior high school students entering secretarial careers, and part of the proceeds from this affair will be used for this purpose.

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ROBINSON-VENTI

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Robinson, 4509 Green Meadows Ave., Torrance, announce the marriage of their daughter, Janet, to Michael J. Venti, which was solemnized recently at the Congregational Church of Christ in Redondo Beach. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Basil Venti of San Gabriel.

Dr. Harold J. Sala officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride wore a gown of white linen with lace appliques. A headpiece of two white velvet roses held her full illusion veil. She carried a white chapel Bible and a bouquet of white roses.

Miss Kristin Venti served as the maid of honor and bridesmaids were Misses Sharon Dunsmore, June Jones, Nancy Rogers and Mrs. Nancy Gratzke. Jeanette McCarrell was flower girl.

John Venti stood as his brother's best man. Ushers were Richard Loy, John Marino and Gary Troncale. James Robinson was ring bearer.

During the ceremony, Catherine Phinney played the nuptial music and accompanied Sheryl Vojtecky, soloist.

A reception, attended by the 225 guests, was held at the Torrance YWCA where Ginny Sweet was in charge of the bride's book.

The honeymoon was spent in Palm Springs and the new address is 21006 Wood Ave. The bride, a South High graduate, attended Whittier College. She is employed by Hughes Aircraft.

Mr. Venti, a San Gabriel High graduate, attended Pasadena City College. He is employed by Douglas Aircraft.

At Crestline

Mr. and Mrs. Don Wolf left Wednesday evening for their cabin at Crestline where they will spend a week.



MRS. MICHAEL J. VENTI (Monteleone Photo)

Junior Club Will Enter Crafts Show

Junior clubwomen of Marina District, CFWC, will attend a bi-monthly conference tomorrow at 7:45 p.m. at the Neptunian Clubhouse, 920 Highland Ave., Manhattan Beach.

Presiding will be Mrs. Robert Gardiner of Lawndale, District Junior president. Hostess will be Mrs. Carolyn Horlacker, president of the Dolphins of Manhattan Beach. Special feature of the meeting will be district-wide crafts exhibit and contest.

Designing the club craft designs for the Torrance Junior Women's Club will be Mmes. James Burger and Richard Neal.

Yoga Class Offered at Local YWCA

A class in Yoga, to develop the highest physical, mental and social well being is being offered at the Torrance YWCA, 2320 Carson St.

Yoga consists of exercises that release tension, aid circulation and stimulate the nervous system through spine stretching and kinesthetic movements.

Mrs. Lehua Murphy, professional dancer and Yoga instructor, is in charge of the class which will cover an eight-week period.

For further information concerning the class, the Torrance YWCA may be called.

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<p>ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH 1432 Encinalta—FA 8-3721 Rev. Hugh R. Percy, R.A.D. Rector 7:30 a.m. Holy Communion 9:15 a.m. Family Worship Service followed by Church School and Coffee Hour. 11:15 a.m. Morning Worship (Choral Mass)ucharist on 1st and 3rd Sundays. (Holy Communion and Nursery provided at 9:15 and 11 a.m. services) 11:30 a.m. Holy Communion at 11 a.m. Thursdays and 6:30 a.m. on All Saint's Days.</p>	<p>FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 1501 West Carson R. Way Kornegay, Pastor Ph. FA 8-6080 9:45 Sunday School 10:30 Moving Worship 7:00 p.m. Evening Service</p>	<p>FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF TORRANCE (Disciples of Christ) 2841 St. Dorado, FA 8-2820 Rev. H. Milton Sippel, Minister Res. Phone FA 8-6082 Rev. Robert Neil Jones Minister of Education Res. Phone 876-6595 Two Seasons of Church School and Morning Worship 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. Nursery provided at both sessions CHI 8:30 and Fellowship 9:30 p.m. Christian Youth Fellowship—7 p.m.</p>
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